## FY 2005 Funding Cycle to Date Overview and Preview of FY 2006 Funding Cycle Schedule

#### FY 2005 Funding Cycle Overview

## During the FY 2005 Application Cycle Applicants Submitted a Total of:

- Ninety-eight (98) requests for funding consideration
- ➤ These projects reflect approximately \$125 million of funding needs identified by this year's competitive process
- Plus \$5.15 million in set-a-sides
- > \$130+ million total requested
- Veto action saved \$1 million for competitive grants

## Based on an evaluation of these applications and directives from the Washington State Legislature:

- Ecology proposes to fund 41 activity and facility projects
- ➤ Total: Approximately \$108.9 million.

# FY 2005 Funding Cycle Overview (Continued)

#### **Funds Proposed:**

Centennial Funds Proposed: \$16,814,490

Section 319 Funds Proposed: \$2,217,077

➤ SRF Funds Proposed: \$89,951,366

➤ Total Funds Proposed: \$108,982,933

# FY 2005 Funding Cycle Overview (Continued)

#### **Observations:**

- Based on management decision and accompanying priority system, TMDL implementation projects were highest priority.
- ➤ Many facilities were funded per available SRF.
- ➤ Two of the top 10 were facilities; however,
- ➤ Three (3) of the top 43 were facilities.

#### Public Meeting on Draft FY 2005 List

A public meeting will be held on June 9, 2004

Beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Pierce County Library, Administrative Service Center

3005 112th St. East (*Rooms A, B, & C*)

Tacoma, Washington

#### FY 2005 Provisos & Hardship Management

Applicant Name	Project Title	Rank	Local Priority Points	Point Total	Total Funds Request	Proposed Funding		Provisos Comments
						CCWF	SRF	
Spokane County/ City	Spokane Rathdrum Prairie Aquifer	N/A	N/A	N/A		\$5,000,000		Extended Pymnt Grant
Hood Canal Salmon Enhancement Group	Salmon Enhance- ment Project	N/A	N/A	N/A		\$150,000		Legislative Proviso
Tacoma City of	Tacoma Central Treatment Plant Upgrade	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$20,130,000		\$20,130,000	Alternative Contract in Accord with Pilot Rule

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						CCWF	SRF	
Colville City of	Colville Waste- water Treat- ment Phase 2/3	N/A	N/A	N/A		\$4,400,000		Good Faith Commitment for Hardship Grant From FY 2004 Cycle
Chehalis City of	Chehalis Regional Water Reclamation Facility (CRWRF)	5	100	827.5	\$36,282,316	\$3,376,327	\$32,905,989	Remainder of 2/3 Projected for Hardship Grants at the Time of Draft List

#### FY 2005 SRF FUNDS PROPOSED

Local government demand for SRF assistance again exceeded the funds available.

- ➤ The SRF program received 23 eligible applications requesting over \$103.9 million.
- ► Ecology is proposing to offer approximately \$89.9 million in low-interest loans to:
- ► Eleven (11) local governments for 12 highpriority water quality projects.

# FISCAL YEAR 2006 WATER QUALITY FUNDING CYCLE SCHEDULE AND MILESTONES

**Date** Milestone Activity

9/1/2004 Water Quality Grant and Loan

**Application Period Opens** 

#### **Funding Application Workshops:**

9/1/2004 - Spokane

9/2/2004 - Ellensburg

9/8/2004 - Everett

9/9/2004 - Lacey

11/1/2004 Application Period Closes

## FISCAL YEAR 2006 WATER QUALITY FUNDING CYCLE SCHEDULE AND MILESTONES (CONTINUED)

11/17/2004*	Applications Distributed to Ecology Regional Office Evaluator
12/17/2004*	<b>Evaluator Scores Due to Ecology Headquarters AND Local Priority Setting Statements Due at Ecology HQ</b>
12/28/2004*	Draft Ranked List Developed With Funding Priorities Assigned Using Amounts From Governors Proposed Budget
12/29/2004*	Draft Ranked List Sent to Ecology Fiscal/OMB
1/12/2005*	Public Meeting on Draft Rank Offer List & 30 - Day Public Comment Period Begins
2/14/2005*	Public Comment Period Ends
??/??/2005**	Final Offer List (Date TBD)

<sup>\*</sup> Proposed Date

<sup>\*\*</sup> Date Pending the Final Budget Amounts from the Legislature

# FISCAL YEAR 2006 WATER QUALITY FUNDING CYCLE – ISSUES & LIMITATIONS

#### **Issues for Consideration:**

- Format of Draft Ranked List
- Type and Level of Public Involvement on Draft Ranked List
- Timing of Public Involvement on the Draft Offer List

#### **Limitations:**

- Draft Ranked List Funding Based on Governors Proposed Budget
- Final Offer List within 60 Days After End of Public Review and Comment Period
- Final Offer List Based on Legislative Capital Budget
- Cannot Sign or Fund Projects Until the Beginning of the Biennium (e.g., 7/1/05) or at Adoption of the Supplemental Budget (i.e., 2006 Legislative Session)